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REPORT OF THE SUB-COMMISSION ON PREVENTION OF DISCRIMINATION AND PROTECTION OF MINORITIES ON ITS FORTY-NINTH SESSION

Denmark, Germany and the Netherlands*: draft decision

1998/.. Human rights and scientific and technological developments

The Commission on Human Rights,

Taking note of resolution 1997/42 of 28 August 1997 of the Sub-Commission on Prevention of Discrimination and Protection of Minorities,

Recalling that at its present session the Commission will not consider the agenda item entitled "Human rights and scientific and technological developments",

Recalling its resolution 1997/22 of 11 April 1997 in which the Commission, inter alia, requested the Sub-Commission to give particular attention to the process of selection of studies, and

Reiterating that studies to be undertaken by members of the Sub-Commission should be based on extended working papers in which the subject and the purpose of the proposed study are clearly identified,

Decides to request the Sub-Commission to reconsider its recommendation to appoint a Special Rapporteur on human rights and scientific and technological developments.

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* In accordance with rule 69, paragraph 3, of the rules of procedure of the functional commissions of the Economic and Social Council.

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